

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION 835

By Yarbro

A RESOLUTION to commend Janita Hendricks for exemplary service as a legislative intern.

WHEREAS, each legislative session, this General Assembly is pleased to recognize certain persons who have committed themselves, through their adroit service, to the betterment of the legislative process; and

WHEREAS, Janita Hendricks is one such individual who has distinguished herself in her role as a legislative intern for Senator Jeff Yarbro, chairman of the Senate Democratic Caucus; Ms. Hendricks's work has resulted in innumerable benefits for the legislators she assisted and the General Assembly as a whole; and

WHEREAS, Ms. Hendricks is a Shelbyville native and the daughter of Willie Hendricks and Darlene Foster Hendricks; and

WHEREAS, a student at Middle Tennessee State University (MTSU), where she is highly regarded by her peers, Janita Hendricks has achieved academic success while majoring in mass communication with a concentration in multimedia journalism and minoring in political science; and

WHEREAS, during her time at MTSU, Ms. Hendricks has participated in a number of extracurricular activities, including the National Association of Black Journalists, which she served as vice president; MT10 News, which she served as lead anchor; and the MTSU National Society of Leadership; she also served as an MTSU student ambassador; and

WHEREAS, eager to familiarize herself with the characteristics and complexities of Tennessee state government and to further her studies, Janita Hendricks brought her many abilities and singular expertise to Capitol Hill for the 2018 session of the One Hundred Tenth General Assembly; and

WHEREAS, throughout the 2018 legislative session, she has surpassed all criteria that define a devoted and conscientious legislative intern; and

WHEREAS, Janita Hendricks has performed her many duties with extraordinary insight and rare decorum; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE ONE HUNDRED TENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES CONCURRING, that we hereby commend Janita Hendricks for outstanding service as a legislative intern for Senator Jeff Yarbrow and extend to her our best wishes for every future success.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that an appropriate copy of this resolution be prepared for presentation with this final clause omitted from such copy.